

Assembly Committee on Aging & Long-Term Care

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African Americans and Aging

Assemblymember Mariko Yamada, Co-Chairperson

Tuesday, February 18, 2014

State Capitol, Room 447

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

A G E N D A

I. Welcome and Opening Remarks

- **Assemblymember Mariko Yamada, Chairperson, Assembly Committee on Aging and Long-Term Care**
- **Assemblymember Donald Wagner, Vice Chair, Assembly Committee on Aging and Long-Term Care**

II. Fernando Torres-Gil, Professor of Social Welfare, Professor of Public Policy, Director of the Center for Policy Research on Aging, UCLA

III. Presentations

- 1. Virgie P. Walker, Chairperson, California Commission on Aging**
The African American Journey of Aging
- 2. Luella Hairston, Esq., Family Practice Attorney, Rancho Cucamonga**
Local issues Older African Americans encounter
- 3. Cordia Wade, Former Area 4 Agency on Aging Advisory Board Member**
How consumers fare in today's environment—what works, what does not

IV. Public Testimony